

**Bob Sivertsen**

**From:** "Dennis Morgan" <dennis@modaire.net>  
**To:** "Bob Sivertsen" <laredoenterprises@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, January 19, 2009 5:31 PM  
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**Subject:** Re: Emailing: SB0222

**SENATE HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORTATION**

EXHIBIT NO. 2  
DATE: 1/22/09  
BILL NO. SB 222

To: The Senate Highways and Transportation Committee

As Hill County's Representative on the Board of Directors of the Highway #2 Association, your support of Senator Ken Hansen's SB 222 would be appreciated.

With the increase in large loads from the Gulf Coast being shipped along Hwy #2 to the oil sands of Alberta, we need a safe and adequate 4 lane highway for the present and future energy development that is a driving force to our State and Northern Montana.

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***Dennis Morgan***  
***Modern Aire, Inc.***  
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1/19/2009

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**From:** "Bob Sivertsen" <laredoenterprises@msn.com>  
**To:** "Ken Hansen" <hansen\_kenneth@email.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 18, 2009 7:01 PM  
**Subject:** Fw: Emailing: SB0222

SB 222

PLEASE Support SB 222 by Senator Hansen.

SB 2 was passed with bad advice and caused  
highways in Montana to be funded to be funded in two  
different standards and it is about time its corrected so North East Mt.  
can start building back up with good hyways.

Frank J. Smith

Hwy 2 Assoc. member

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1/18/2009

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**From:** "Montana Cowboy Hall of Fame" <cowboys@nemont.net>  
**To:** "Bob Sivertsen" <laredoenterprises@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 20, 2009 9:14 PM  
**Subject:** SB 222

Former Senator Frank Smith who is a MCHF&WHC Board of Director stopped by with your info sheet on SB 222 for Jan 22nd hearing.

"We support one standard for highway funding in the state of Montana."  
Jack & Christy Stensland, Farmer/Rancher Wolf Point, Montana

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"Life is not measured by the number of breaths you take  
but by the moments that take your breath away".

1/20/2009

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**From:** "MARVIN PRESSER" <mwpresser@hotmail.com>  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, January 21, 2009 10:16 AM  
**Subject:** SB 222

1-21-09  
Bob Sivertsen  
Hwy 2 Assoc. Pres.  
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Dear Bob:

This is a letter of support for the above noted Senate Bill. I am a lifetime resident of northeast Montana and have been in business in Wolf Point for over 40 years. I am well aware of the importance of having a modern four lane highway to promote the economy of the Hi-Line.

In my opinion, former Governor Martz had little vision or support for the welfare of Eastern and Northern Montana. I strongly support the change of the law which limits the funding of four lane construction on US Highway 2.

I am reminded of an editorial in a Butte newspaper a few years ago which stated that there was no need for a four lane corridor across the Hi-Line. It seems that Butte (and Martz) forgot about the tremendous effort that Butte put forth in the early 50's to move the proposed routing of the interstate to include Butte. Their arguments at the time were the same as those used today by the proponents for "4 for 2". I think if you look at Butte today and the positive effect the interstate has had on that community, you would have to agree that a four lane highway does have a major impact.

Marvin Presser  
High Plains Motors, Inc  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, January 21, 2009 11:06 AM  
**Subject:** ref: sb 222

WE HERE AT RATHERT FOX FORD INC IN WOLF POINT  
SUPPORT THIS BILL. PLEASE RECEIVE OUR WRITTEN STATEMENT  
VIA EMAIL.

THANKS  
BILL RATHERT

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Jan. 21, 2009

2009 Montana Legislature  
Senate Bill No. 222  
Introduced by K. Hansen

As a member of the 4 for 2 Association, we stand in support of Senate Bill 222 and encourage its passing by your committee. In passing this Bill it will remove the double standard that is now in place

*Robert T. Saut*

*Deanna B. Kaul*

*Jim Treperinas*  
*Vasiliki Treperinas*